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An English-language Abstract of the non-English language reference is attached hereto.

The reference was cited in an Office Action in a counterpart foreign application.

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A concise explanation of the relevance of the non-English language reference appears in the Appendix attached hereto.

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